

MOSCOW TREE COMMISSION



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~Agenda~

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**Thursday
January 4, 2018**

5:00 PM

**Mayors Conference Room
206 E 3rd Street**

Call to order

1. Announcements

2. Approval of Minutes from December 5, 2017

ACTION: Approve minutes as presented; approve minutes with amendments; or provide staff further direction.

3. Public Comment Period

Only for items not listed on the agenda, including responses to previous comments/questions from the public.

4. Tree Seedling Selection for Arbor Day 2018 - Rauk

Discussion of tree selection and availability of the 2018 Arbor Day tree seedlings by Don Reagan.

ACTION: Approve the 2018 tree seedlings for the 2018 Arbor Day celebration and/or provide staff/commission further direction.

5. Report: Printing and Publication of Final Draft of Revised Street Tree Planting Guide - Argona

The MTC is in the process of revising the Street Tree Planting Guide to assist the public in making the right choices in planting trees in the public right of way. The target for having the printed guide available to the public is Arbor Day 2018.

ACTION: Discuss vendors to receive quotes from and assign Commission member(s) to bring quotes to the February meeting for Commission consideration and/or provide staff/commission further direction.

6. Report: Planning for Downtown Tree Replacements – Filip/Rauk

Present draft outline of proposal and development of public outreach to the downtown business district stakeholders. Discussion of an appropriate tree species list for the Downtown trees.

ACTION: Approve the draft outlines and/or provide staff/commission further direction.

7. Tree Classes for the Parks and Recreation Brochure – Schott/Hamilton

The deadline for the summer catalog (April 1st through July 31st) is due to the City by early to mid-February of 2018. Backyard Harvest is interested in partnering on a fruit tree pest workshop for the summer catalog.

ACTION: Review class topic progress on seeking instructors and venues. Report at February meeting for finalization of topics and/or provide staff/commission further direction.

8. Report: Research the Establishment of a Food Forest - Griffith

The MTC is determining the feasibility of a food forest within the City of Moscow.

ACTION: Approve the report and/or provide staff/commission further direction.

9. Open Discussion - All

Adjourn

Next meeting: Tuesday February 6, 2018

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